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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	)	Group Art Unit: 2308
	)	(Parent Application)
KEIICHI KATAYANAGI ET AL.)	)	
Application No.: Unknown	)	Examiner: I. Chowdhury
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Attn.: Official Draftsperson  
Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
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Sir:

Applicants respectfully request that they be allowed to amend Fig. 3 of the drawings to correct the text in the decision box referenced as S10 from "PITCH FLAG = 0?" to --PITCH LAG = 0?-- as shown on the attached red-lined drawing.

Respectfully submitted,  
LIMBACH & LIMBACH L.L.P.

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